IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA Richmond Division

TYEL LASHAWN CLAIBORNE,

Plaintiff.

Civil Action No. 3:17CV289

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GLERK, U.S. DISTRICT COURT RICHMOND, VA

INDER JEET SINGH GUJRAL,

Defendant.

MEMORANDUM OPINION

By Memorandum Order entered on May 10, 2017, the Court conditionally docketed the action. At that time, the Court directed Tyel Lashawn Claiborne to affirm his intention to pay the full filing fee by signing and returning a consent to the collection of fees form. The Court warned Claiborne that a failure to comply with the above directive within thirty (30) days of the date of entry thereof would result in summary dismissal of the action.

Claiborne has not complied with the order of this Court. Claiborne failed to return the consent to collection of fees form. As a result, he does not qualify for in forma pauperis status. Furthermore, he has not paid the statutory filing fee for the instant action. See 28 U.S.C. § 1914(a). Such conduct demonstrates a willful failure to prosecute. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(b). Accordingly, this action will be dismissed without prejudice.

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The Clerk is directed to send a copy of the Memorandum Opinion to Claiborne.

Robert E. Payne

Senior United States District Judge

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Date: Mac 21,2017 Richmond, Virginia